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<u>REMARKS</u>

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the present application in view of the foregoing amendments, which are the results of an interview with the Examiner and her supervisor on October 4, 2005 and a subsequent discussion with the Examiner on October 18, 2005, in which an agreement for allowance was reached.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that all of the pending claims are now in condition for allowance. An early notice to this effect is earnestly solicited.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned by telephone if it is felt that the present application is not in condition for allowance.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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